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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:  
**William M. Nelson**

For: **PACKET DATA ANALYSIS WITH EFFICIENT BUFFERING SCHEME**

Application Elements:

- ☒ 32 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract  
☒ 4 Sheets of formal Drawings  
☐ Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)  
☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449  
☐ Copies of IDS Citations  
☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☒ Return Receipt Postcard  
☐ Small Entity Statement(s)  
☐ Other:

Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

	(Col. 1) Total Claims		(Col. 2) Claims	(Col. 3) Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	30	MINUS	20	= 10	x 18	\$180.00
INDEP.	5	MINUS	3	= 2	x 80	\$160.00
[ ] First presentation of multiple dependent claim					\$270	
Basic Filing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a)					\$710	710.00
TOTAL						\$1050
SMALL ENTITY 50% FILING FEE REDUCTION (if applicable)						

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General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CISC187).

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